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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : **Attn: Mail Stop Amendment**
 Yukisada Sunabashiri : Patent Art Unit: 3616
 Serial No.: 10/566,658 : Examiner: Faye M. Fleming
 Filed: February 1, 2006 : **Confirmation No. 7306**
 For: AIRBAG APPARATUS :
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THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

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CLAIMS			SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
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TOTAL 17	- 20	= 0	x 25 = \$		x 50 = \$	
INDEP 3	- 3	= 0	x 105 = \$		x 210 = \$	
[] 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM			+ 185 = \$		+ 370 = \$	
			TOTAL \$		TOTAL \$	

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the May 19, 2008 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1, 2, 4-6, 9, 10, 14-20 and 23-25 are pending, with claims 1, 4 and 18 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.